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SUBJECT: PROPOSED OIL/GAS PIPELINE EXHIBIT/SEMINAR

REF: MOSCOW 5167

1. USDOC/BEWT APPRECIATES COMM. OFF'S UNDERSTANDING OF PROBLEMS OF TIMING AND SELECTIVE RECRUITMENT THAT SURROUND SUBJECT EVENT.

2. THE FOLLOWING STEPS ARE BEING TAKEN TO FULFILL REQUESTS IN REFTTEL. (A) FOUR REGIONAL AND MANY DISTRICT OFFICES OF U.S.DOC ARE NOW CONTACTING ALL OF THE BEST PROSPECTS FOR THIS EVENT. (B) PROSPECTS ARE BEING ASKED IF THEY ARE STILL INTERESTED. (C) IF YES, COMPANIES ARE BEING ASKED TO SUPPLY PROBABLE SEMINAR PAPER TOPICS AND TO SEND COMPANY LITERATURE. (D) USDOC/BEWT WILL FORWARD ALL COLLECTED INFORMATION TO COMM. OFF.

3. USDOC/BEWT HOPES COMM. OFF. WILL SHOW SCST AND MINISTRY THIS LIST OF LIKELY PARTICIPANTS AND THAT THEY WILL INDICATE WHICH FIRMS HAVE BEST SALES PROSPECTS.

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4. USDOC/BEWT MUST STRESS THAT IT CAN NOT OFFICIALLY
EXCLUDE FIRMS FROM PARTICIPATION EVEN IF SOVIETS INDICATE
THAT THEIR SALES PROSPECTS ARE NOT GOOD NEVERTHELESS,

EVERY EFFORT WILL BE MADE TO CONFORM TO THE OPTIMAL
GROUPING OF FIRMS. KISSINGER

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